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Chinese Christians in the West Indies

The Demerara Royal Gazette of a recent date publishes a long account of the proceedings connected with the laying the foundation stone of a Chinese Christian church by the Governor. "The ceremony," says the Gazette, "attracted more attention than might have been expected from so modest an effort on the part of a few Christians to provide themselves with a small place of worship. But the fact that Christianity had made so much progress among our immigrants from China that the erection of a church for public services in their own tongue should have been proposed by themselves seems to have taken the community by surprise. From the time of the first introduction of a small body of Christians, sent to the colony in 1853, under the auspices of the Rev. Mr. Lobschied, there seems to have been a quiet work going on, mainly through the energy of the converts themselves. As soon as their wish to have a church of their own was announced the Governor at once took a lively interest in the project, and consented to take a prominent part in the proceedings. It was arranged that the ceremony on the ground should be preceded by a solemn service in St. Philip's Church. Long before the hour appointed this spacious building was filled; and certainly a strange sight it was to see in a Christian congregation so large a number—nearly three hundred—of Chinese faces. A procession was then formed, consisting of the choir and a large number of clergy, with the whole body of Chinese, accompanied by their catechists, from the church to the site of old St. Philip's.

The frame from which the stone was suspended was beautifully decorated with flowers—the work, we understand, of the Chinese themselves; and after the customary prayers and blessings the stone was lowered and set in its place by the Governor. The Governor, after laying the stone in the usual manner, in a few earnest words gave expression to the great interest he took in the work, and alluded to its exciting a more than ordinary interest from its very novelty. He said: "The work which we have this day commenced is one well fitted to strike the imagination even of the most indifferent. It is not merely the fact that this is I believe, the first church erected in the western world for the use of Chinese, but it is a fact that there should be in this country a sufficient number of Chinese to demand for their own use a church in which the services of religion shall be conducted in their own ancient language."

FIRST BLOOD OF THE REVOLUTION.—A correspondent at East Westminster, Vermont, obtained from Mr. Richmond, a sexton, whom he interviewed in the cemetery, the following facts:

Mr. Richmond said that in '74-5 the Whigs and Tories were about equally divided, the judges and juries being appointed by the king. The British authorities attempted to hold a court in the court house, then standing about forty rods north of the cemetery. The colonists were bound that no court should be held; so they armed themselves and attacked and drove the court from the court house. In return, the British soldiers attacked the colonists, and a man named William French fell dead from the fire of the soldiers, and Daniel Houghton was fatally wounded.

This was the first bloodshed of the Revolution. In 1872 the State of Vermont appropriated \$600 for a monument which now stands about six feet from the place where French was buried. A gentleman, by the name of William C. Bradley, formerly Congressman from Vermont, a few years ago erected a tomb almost over the grave of French, hence the reason of the monument not standing over the grave. A small slab stands within a foot of the front side of the tomb to tell the exact spot of the grave, and on it is the following inscription:

"In memory of William French, Son of Nathaniel French, Who was shot at Westminster, March 13th, 1775, by the hands of the Cruel Ministerial tools of George 3d, In the Courthouse at 11 o'clock at night, in the 22d year of his age."

Below this are the following lines: "Here William French lies his body lies; For murder his blood for vengeance cries King George the third his Tory crew That with a bawling heart shot through, For Liberty and his Country's good, he lost his life, his Dearest blood."

The above is an exact copy, and all. As a good many think that the first blood flowed at the battle of Lexington, this may be interesting to them, for it certainly was to me. A building erected in 1770, five years before the battle, is still standing. It was erected as a Congregational Church, but is now used as a town-house, and is in good repair.

FIGHTING POISON WITH POISON.—As an illustration of the power of one poison to counteract another in the human system, a recent case in this city furnishes a highly important and interesting instance. We give the statement as related to us by Dr. Harris, who was called to the relief of a would-be suicide, and who administered the successful antidote. The person had taken between forty and fifty grains of opium, and was fast dying. He could no longer swallow, his extremities were cold and had turned black, while his respirations only numbered between six and seven to the minute. This last of itself seemed to indicate that all hope was gone, as anything less than eight respirations a minute had heretofore been known as a sure precursor of death. As a last resort, the doctor determined to try heroic treatment, and he accordingly, with a hypodermic syringe, injected two-thirds of a drachm of nuxvomica dissolved in a teaspoonful of water beneath the skin over the heart, stomach, spine and on each arm above the elbow, and on the calf of each leg. The quantity of nuxvomica would have been the death of any well man in existence, but in antagonism to the opium it was in this seemingly hopeless case an agent of life, and in fifteen minutes the man was sitting up in bed, conscious and rapidly recovering.—*South Bend, Ind., Tribune.*

CLOAKS!

The Latest Styles.
A large line just opened. Call and see them.
A. L. WITMER CO.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.



Nearly all diseases originate from Indigestion and Torpidity of the Liver, and relief is always anxiously sought after. If the Liver is Regulated in its action, health is almost invariably secured. Want of action in the Liver causes Headache, Constipation, Jaundice, Pain in the Shoulders, Cough, Chills, Dizziness, Sour Stomach, bad taste in the mouth, bilious attacks, palpitation of the heart, depression of spirits, or the blues, and a hundred other symptoms, for which SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR is the best remedy that has ever been discovered. Its acts mildly but effectively, and being a simple vegetable compound, can do no injury in any quantities that it may be taken. It is harmless in every form of the good and great from all parts of the country will vouch for its being the purest and best.

SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR, OR MEDICINE.
Is harmless,
Is no drastic violent medicine,
Is sure to cure if taken regularly,
Is no intoxicating beverage,
Is a faithful family medicine,
Is the cheapest medicine in the world,
Is given with safety and the happiest results to the most delicate infant,
Does not interfere with business,
Does not disarrange the system,
Keeps the place of Quinine and Bitters of every kind,
Contains the simplest and best remedies.
FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

W. FRANKLIN CRIGHTON,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS, GARDEN SEED, &c., &c., &c.
No. 85 King street, (under Searcy Hall), ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders will receive prompt attention.

H. H. COOK, HENRY COOK.
HENRY COOK & CO.,
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
PURE DRUGS AND CHEMICALS, PAINTS, VARNISHES AND OILS,
WINDOW GLASS AND PUTTY.
No. 107 King street.
Prompt attention given to orders and inquiries from the country. jan 30

E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.
ESTABLISHED 1792.
DEALERS IN
PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES,
CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS,
VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS, &c., &c., &c.
Nos. 5 and 7 South Fairfax st.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
S. M. H. JANNEY, MAHLON H. JANNEY,
JANNEY & CO.,
PURE DRUGS, LEWIS' WHITE LEAD,
Paints, Oils and Varnishes,
FRENCH WINDOW GLASS & PUTTY.
No. 145 King street.
Orders and Inquiries from the country promptly attended to. sep 28-4f

JAMES F. MUIR & BRO.
[Successors to Wm. H. Muir & Son.]
Manufacturers of and Dealers in
FURNITURE,
141 and 143 KING STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
A large and fine stock always on hand. jy 31

JAMES H. DEVAUGHN,
Manufacturer and Dealer in
FURNITURE,
No. 130 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
LOOKING GLASSES,
HAIR, COTTON TOP,
AND HUSB MATRESSES,
kept constantly on hand and made to order at reasonable prices.
In order to secure prompt attention orders should be addressed to
JAMES H. DEVAUGHN,
No. 130 King street.
my 18-4f

GREEN & BROTHER'S
STEAM
Furniture Works and Saw Mill
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Having fitted up our factory with the latest and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSE, OFFICE and SCHOOL FURNITURE at the very lowest rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING and TURNING, MOULDING, PLANING and CARVING in our line.
Wanted, in exchange for the Furniture, Walnut, Popular, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs.
my 15

MILLINERY ORNAMENTS.
Fine Plated Sleeve Buttons,
Steel Studs and Bracelets.
Also a fine assortment of Windsor Tie and Ruchers.
Our HAIR DEPARTMENT has been replenished with all the choice colors, and we are prepared to sell at very low prices.
Also Intants' Cloaks and Waterproof Capes.
FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT,
sep 26

REMOVAL.
THE ALEXANDRIA INSURANCE COMPANY has removed its office to No. 97 KING STREET, where all its business will hereafter be transacted.
B. WHEAT, President.
GEO. WISE, Secretary.

FOR RENT.
THE OFFICE recently occupied by the Alexandria Insurance Company. Apply to
GEORGE WISE, Secretary,
sep 23-1m

NEW GOODS.
Just opened—Shaker Flannels, Gray Flannel, Red Twilled Flannel, Kerseys, Reversible Cloth, Fancy Cassimeres, Prints, Drills, Canton Flannels, &c., on the very best terms at the call of each leg. The quantity of nuxvomica would have been the death of any well man in existence, but in antagonism to the opium it was in this seemingly hopeless case an agent of life, and in fifteen minutes the man was sitting up in bed, conscious and rapidly recovering.—*South Bend, Ind., Tribune.*

CABBAGE SEED.—We have just received from Landreth a small supply of EARLY BLOOMING CABBAGE SEED. This is a new variety of Cabbage, and is now offered for sale for the first time. Landreth considers it of inestimable value.
For sale by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.
sep 3

PRIME PORTO RICO and DEMERARA SUGARS received to-day by
R. B. LAWSON & CO.
sep 14

GIFT CONCERT.

FIRST GRAND GIFT CONCERT
FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE
Montpelier Female Humane Association,
AT ALEXANDRIA, VA.,
—
NOVEMBER 23, 1874.
—
LIST OF GIFTS.

1 Grand Cash Gift.....	\$100.00
1 Grand Cash Gift.....	50.00
1 Grand Cash Gift.....	25.00
10 Cash Gifts, \$10.00 each.....	100.00
15 Cash Gifts, 5.00 each.....	75.00
50 Cash Gifts, 1.00 each.....	50.00
100 Cash Gifts, .50 each.....	50.00
1,000 Cash Gifts, .10 each.....	100.00
1,000 Cash Gifts, .05 each.....	50.00
20,000 Cash Gifts, .01 each.....	200.00
22,778 Cash Gifts, amounting to.....	\$1,000.00

Number of Tickets, 100,000.

Whole Tickets.....	\$20.00
Halves.....	10.00
Quarters.....	5.00
Eighths or each Coupon.....	2.50
51 Tickets for.....	100.00
Eleven Tickets for.....	200.00

The Montpelier Female Humane Association, chartered by the Legislature of Virginia and the Circuit Court of Orange county, proposes, by a series of Grand Gift Concerts, to establish and endow a "Home for the Old, Infirm and Destitute Ladies of Virginia," at Montpelier, the former residence of President James Madison. The Association is under the control of eight trustees, six of whom are elected bi-annually by the stockholders and two appointed by the Governor of Virginia.

Reference be permission: His Excellency, James L. Kemper, Governor of Virginia; His Excellency, Gilbert C. Walker, ex-Gov. of Va.; Hon. Robert E. Withers, Lieutenant Governor of Virginia and U. S. Senator elect; Hon. Robt. W. Hughes, Judge Eastern District of Virginia; Senators and Members of Congress from Virginia.

Governor's Office, Richmond, July 3, '74.
It affords me pleasure to say that I am well acquainted with a large majority of the officers of the Montpelier Female Humane Association who reside in the vicinity of my home, and I attest their intelligence and their worth and high reputation as gentlemen, as well as the public confidence, influence and substantial means liberally represented among them.

JAMES L. KEMPER, Gov. of Virginia.
ALEXANDRIA, VA., July 3, 1874.
My personal acquaintance with a majority of the gentlemen controlling the Montpelier Female Humane Association and the reputation of all of them enables me to commend them as fully entitled to the confidence of the public. No act of confidence as gentlemen, as well as the public confidence, influence and substantial means liberally represented among them.

R. W. HUGHES,
U. S. Judge East. Dist. of Va.
For full particulars, testimonials, &c., send for circular.
Remittances for tickets may be made by express pre-paid, or by registered letter, addressed to
Hon. JAMES BARBOUR,
President M. F. H. A., Alexandria, Va.
aug 13-4f

CHEAP PIANOS AND ORGANS.
German Piano.....\$50.00
17 Oct. Rosewood.....75.00
1 elegant Nunn & Clarke's Oct.....250.00
A splendid new 74 Oct. Rosewood, with all the improvements.....350.00
1 fine second-hand Organ, double pipe.....85.00
1 perfect order, first cost \$140, now.....45.00
1 44 Oct. Melodion.....45.00
New Estey & Scheninger Organs from \$85 to \$175. Terms of payment easy. Call at
V. BECKER'S Piano and Organ Store, 112 King street, Alexandria, Va.
Organs and Pianos tuned and repaired in the best manner. aug 11

JOHN A. FIELD,
(Successor to William Buckingham.)
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
Cigars, Tobacco, Snuff, Pipes,
&c., &c., &c.
No. 71 KING STREET.
Give me a call. jan 1

GREAT BARGAINS IN WALL PAPERS
GILT, SATIN AND BLANK.
Job lot and remnant of Wall Papers, suitable for large or small rooms.
The cheapest lot of Wall Papers ever offered in this city.
Call soon if you want to get bargains. They will be sold much below cost to close them in this city.
JOHN P. CLARKE,
my 15 No. 188 King street.

KID GLOVES! — **KID GLOVES!**
I have just opened my Fall and Winter stock of Kid Gloves. My stock is the largest and variety greater than ever before offered in this city. All numbers, from 34 to 84, and in every shade. A full line of Black Gloves constantly on hand, plain and stitched backs. Agent for the Josephine Seamless Gloves, acknowledged to be the best Glove in the market. All prices, from \$1 to \$2.25. Call at
C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King st.
oct 12

ASK FOR WINES AND BRANDIES.
M. B. GUCK, BELMONT VINEYARDS
Front Royal, Va.
They are good, sound, cheap and healthful. For sale in Alexandria by Lawson, Janney, Cook, Crighton, Green, Cooney and others. Generally with first class druggists. Your physician will tell you they are safe and good. sep 24-6m

MOSQUITO NET! — **MOSQUITO NET!**
New and Improved Mosquito Net, Canopies, Mosquito Net Fixtures, and Patent-finish Seamless Retings, for large or small bedrooms—the best stock of goods in this line ever offered in this city. Long experience enables us to maintain our reputation. J. P. CLARKE, my 15 No. 188 King st.

1,000 TONS SUMAC WANTED
At the highest market price for cash.
ADVANCE 500,000 WHITE OAK SPOKES at an ADVANCE OF 25 PER CENT on my old list prices.
J. E. ROSENTHAL.
200 BUSHES choice new WESTERN TIMOTHY SEED for sale by
WASHINGTON & BRO.
aug 31

MEETINGS.

ALEXANDRIA WATER COMPANY.
The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA WATER COMPANY will be held at their office, No. 75 Prince street, on MONDAY, the 2d of November, at twelve o'clock m. T. D. FENDALL, Secretary.
oct 21-4f

WASHINGTON AND OHIO R. R. CO.
The Annual General Meeting of the Washington and Ohio Railroad Company will be held on WEDNESDAY, the fourth day of November, 1874, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the office of the Company, in Alexandria.
oct 17-4f R. JOHNSTON, Clerk.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA and WASHINGTON RAILROAD COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, in Alexandria, Va., corner of King and St. Asaph streets, at twelve o'clock m., on MONDAY, Oct. 20, A.D. 1874.
sep 19 wtd S. LITTLE, Secretary.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA and FREDERICKSBURG RAILROAD COMPANY will be held at the office of Francis L. Smith, esq., corner Wolfe and St. Asaph streets, in Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, November 10, 1874, at ten o'clock a. m. Election for President and Directors same day and place.
oct 9-wtd ALBERT HEWSON, Sec'y.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
A meeting of the stockholders of the MIDDLEBURG and PLAINS TURNPIKE CO. will be held in Middleburg, at the office of Maj. B. P. Noland, at 3 o'clock on SATURDAY, the 24th of October next, for the purpose of electing President and Directors of said company for the next year. JAMES PRIEST, Pres't. Middleburg, Loudoun co., oct 2-4f

PROPOSALS.

VIRGINIA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE.
TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

Sealed proposals are hereby invited for the erection of two large College buildings and two dwelling houses. Plans and specifications for the same can be seen on or after the 2d of November next, either at the College in Richmond, Va. The proposals to be handed in on or before Monday, the 24th of November. The estimates to be made out separately for each building, and in detail for the different carpenter's work, viz: for brickwork, ranches work, plastering, painting, slating, &c. The right of rejecting all bids is reserved.
oct 20-1m Montgomery county, Va.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Proposals will be received until Saturday next, the 24th instant, at 12 o'clock m., for paving the sidewalks in front of the Court House property, on Columbus street, and the School Board property, on same street, with good, hard, new, paving brick; to be laid on good sharp sand, not less than 4 inches deep. Contractors will state how much they will do the paving, including the old brick now in front of the Court House. Bids now it can remain, or be withdrawn, as parties may wish. The bills for paving will be certified to the City Auditor for payment. Bids can be left with the City Surveyor or any member of the Board of Public Works.
oct 20-4f JNO. B. SMOOT, Pres't.

MACHINISTS.

G. W. JAMIESON. C. H. COLLINS
Alex. Iron and Brass Works.

JAMIESON & COLLINS.
Proprietors.
CORNER OF ROYAL AND WILKES STS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Building Material, Mill Work and Castings of every description, made at short notice.
Cash paid for old Iron and Brass.
sep 6-4f

W. S. MOORE,
MACHINIST AND BLACKSMITH,
No. 65 Union street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds of MACHINERY, WROUGHT AND CAST IRON PIPES, &c.
Repairing done with dispatch, and at prices that were charged previous to the war. jan 20

PHILIP PARK,
PRACTICAL PLUMBER,
No. 12 South Fairfax street.
The oldest and best established Plumbing establishment in the city. All work done with dispatch, and in the most durable and workmanlike manner. Satisfaction guaranteed.
JOB DONE AT SHORT NOTICE, and by himself, or the most experienced workmen. ja 2-4f

FISH.
CODFISH, Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, Labrador Herrings and St. John's Alewives, received and for sale by
DAVEY & HARMON.
oct 16

YORKSHIRE RELISH, the best and cheapest Sauce in the world, in store and for sale by
W. F. BROOKES,
147 King street.
sep 9

NEW BUCKWHEAT FLOUR received and for sale by
DAVEY & HARMON.
oct 16

SPICES—Whole and strictly pure Ground
Spices for sale by
J. C. MILBURN.
sep 28

CHEAP SUGARS and COFFEES at
J. C. MILBURN'S,
19 north Royal street.
sep 26

MESS SHAD by the pound, something delicious, for sale at 147 King street.
W. F. BROOKES.
oct 13

FRESH SPICES, whole and ground, just received by
G. W. RAMSAY,
Corner King and St. Asaph st.
sep 9

PRIME LEAF LARD, extra refined, just received by
J. C. MILBURN.
oct 10

5 GROSS RUMFORD'S YEAST POW-
DERS received to-day by
J. C. MILBURN.
sep 26

100 BBLs EASTERN HERRINGS for sale by
WASHINGTON & BRO.
aug 31

LIME CEMENT and CALCINED PLAS-
TER for sale by
PEAKE & CO., 187 King st.
sep 11

SCOTCH HERRING just received and for sale at 147 King street.
W. F. BROOKES.
oct 15

A LARGE LOT of WINDOW GLASS received to-day at 107 King street.
HENRY COOK COOK & CO.
oct 10

OIL CLOTHS, from 4-4 to 24-4 wide, cut to fit balls, rooms, &c. A large line of them.
D. F. WITMER CO.
sep 28

100 LBS INDIGO received this day and for sale in quantities to suit by
HENRY COOK & CO.
oct 13

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

J. C. MILBURN,
Wholesale and Retail
GROCER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT
No. 19 N. Royal st., cor. Market Space,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Orders and consignments solicited. They will receive careful and prompt attention. aug 24

R. M. LAWSON,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 69 Cameron street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Deals in Standard Fertilizers and Grass Seeds. Cash advances made on Grain in store. Consignments solicited. aug 3

R. B. LAWSON & CO.,
[Successors to R. M. Lawson.]
GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS,
No. 67 Cameron street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
aug 3

B. H. LAMBERT, JR.,
(Successor to B. H. Lambert.)
SHIPPING & COMMISSION MERCHANT,
18 UNION WHARF,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Agent for PICKLE & SONS' celebrated brand of FLOUR, BRIDGEWATER FAMILY, BELMONT XX EXTRA and MILL-FEED.
Orders and consignments solicited. feb 18-4f

LEWIS MCKENZIE, JNO. J. JAMIESON & CO.
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS
No. 8 south Union street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Special attention paid to the sale of Wheat, Flour and Country Produce. Orders for Groceries, Plaster, Seeds and Salt filled at market rates. Agents for PATAPSCO GUANO. [sep 3-4f

THOMAS PERKY,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT
AND AGENT FOR
THE SALE OF FERTILIZERS,
No. 17 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
aug 16-4f

GEO. WASHINGTON, R. J. WASHINGTON, WASHINGTON & BROTHER,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
No. 20 UNION STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all kinds of Country Produce solicited. Special attention given to all business entrusted to them. Prompt returns made. ap 24

W. A. SMOOT,
DEALER IN
COAL, SALT AND PLASTER
SMOOT'S WHARF,
(Foot of Princess st.)
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
feb 21-4f

HOOE & JOHNSTON.
(Successors to Fowler & Co.)
No. 2 PRINCE STREET.
GENERAL
COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANTS.
Dealers in all kinds of
FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER
AGENTS OF THE
NEW YORK & BALTIMORE STEAMERS.
Also of the
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
feb 5-4f

SHINN & CO
(Successors to Samuel Hartley.)
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS
No. 13 Union street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Particular attention paid to the selling of FLOUR, GRAIN and all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, PLASTER, SEEDS, &c., &c., at the lowest market rates.
Agents for the sale of James S. Welch's celebrated brands of FAMILY FLOUR.
Agents for the sale of the "ROYAL TOP HYDRAULIC CEMENT." jan 5-4f

J. BRODERS & CO.,
No. 11 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Wholesale Dealers in
GROCERIES,
LIQUORS,
PROVISIONS,
SALT FISH,
AND PRODUCE.

Also keep on hand a general assortment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lumps and Ship and Naval Stores.
All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to consignees on arrival.
Agents for Dupont's Gunpowder.
XXX Ale and Porter always on hand.
Agents for the Baltimore and Potomac Transportation line. mh 10-4f

CHARLES S. TAYLOR, JR.,
Manufacturer and Dealer in
BROOMS,
No. 27 KING STREET,
(Second floor of Beckham, Delaplane & Co's.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
PROMPT ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL ORDERS.
aug 28-4f

GOODS FOR THE LADIES.
Merino and Lambs' Wool Underwear French Corsets in great variety; Ruffling for the neck; Kid Gloves; Thread and Silk Gloves; Stockings in all grades and sizes; Homestead and Him-med Handkerchiefs, Leather and Silk Belts, &c. Ladies will find in our present assortment many very desirable goods at the lowest prices.
sep 19 R. L. WOOD.

FINE IMPORTED LIQUORS A SPECIALTY.—We have on hand a stock of Old French Brandy, Holland Gin, Jamaica Rum and Scotch Whisky; also a fine selection of imported Wines. The above mentioned liquors are selected with great care, and we would inform those who wish a pure article to try.
GEO. MCBURNY & SON,
106 and 170 King street.
sep 14

DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS, &c.—We ask the attention of country merchants to our large stock of Drugs, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Window Glass, Putty, Spices, Soaps, Perfumery, &c., all of which are put up in packages for the convenience of dealers, and which are offered at Baltimore prices. Call and examine before purchasing.
HENRY COOK & CO.,
107 King street.
sep 28

CROQUET! — **CROQUET!**
Our "BELLE HAVEN" CROQUET, made to order, is of superior quality.
BALLS, MALLETS, STAKES, WICKETS, &c., made to order, any size in any design, and painted in accordance with the direction.
CHAS. W. GREEN,
76 King street.
aug 11

BLACK GOODS A SPECIALTY.—We have just received and offer for sale a choice line of Black Goods at popular prices.
D. F. BRASHEAR,
109 King st., Alexandria, Va.
sep 21

UMBRELLAS! — **UMBRELLAS!**
Light dozen Umbrellas, direct from the manufactory, assorted sizes and prices, from \$1 up. sep 26
D. F. WITMER CO.

J. E. MCGRAW'S SELECTED FAMILY
ROE HERRING in store and for sale by the barrel or dozen at 147 King street.
W. F. BROOKES.
oct 15

AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEES' SALE.—In pursuance of a deed of trust from Jacob Muddiman and wife, dated the first day of February, 1872, I shall proceed to sell, in front of the Mansion House, in the city of Alexandria, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of October, at 12 o'clock m., the two-story BRICK TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND named therein, situated on the northeast corner of Alfred and Wolfe streets, at 21st-st. ALLEN C. HARRISON, Trustee.
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VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.
By virtue of a deed of trust from John S. Owens, bearing date the 8th day of July, 1865, and of record in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Prince William county, to secure the payment of a certain debt therein mentioned, I shall, on TUESDAY, the 24th day of November, next, at Haymarket, offer at public sale that valuable farm known as STONECASTLE.

This farm lies in Prince William county, about three miles north of Haymarket, a station on the W. C. & G. S. R.